

## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Gathered in Town, County and Neighborhood.

—Merry Christmas to all Dispatch readers.

—Too many of us ready to gossip about other people.

—Burglars are raiding many country town stores in this locality.

—Mrs. Sarah Gilbert died in Warren last Friday after being bed-ridden for four years, aged 76.

—Rev. Henry Jones, pastor of the Kent Congregational church, has presented his resignation, effective Jan. 31.

—Read the Dispatch advertisements before starting out to do holiday shopping. They point the way to the right stores.

—Attorney E. B. Leonard of Warren has been appointed by the Ohio supreme court a member of the state bar examining committee.

—The new parcels post law goes into effect the first of the coming year. As they say on Erie trains, "Don't forget your parcels."

—The unwillingness of some of the republicans to leave office is so pronounced we fear their successors will find trouser seats glued to the office chairs.

—J. H. Root's general store in Cortland was burglarized last Friday night and watches, jewelry and other goods valued at \$200 went with the thieves.

—Dr. W. C. Nevin of Lisbon has been appointed a member of the Columbiana county board of pension examiners, taking the place of Dr. T. B. Marquis, who recently died.

—The dead body of H. D. Porter, a prominent citizen of Newton Falls, was found in his woods one day last week. He was at work when stricken with apoplexy. Porter operated the Newton Falls grist mill for many years.

—"Lady Show You," a white Plymouth Rock hen that recently won the national egg-laying contest at the state poultry station, Mountain Grove, Mo., was sold last week to J. A. Bickelrite of Millersville, Ill., for \$800. Her record was 281 full weight eggs this year.

—Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt advises women to discard skirts, corsets and things and wear pants. There are more women wearing pants in this country than Mrs. Catt dreams of. The old henpecks of this country could testify wonderful things of the tyranny of trousered femininity if they dared.

—A petition asking for the repeal of the license law is being circulated in Warren. Those behind the movement lay stress on the fact that the license proposition as voted on by the people of the state at the special election last September covers the field and liquor questions can be better taken care of under it than under the Rose law.

—Brick roads are the thing. The time is very near, if it has not already arrived, to quit spending money on macadam roads. When first constructed they are all right but heavy tram soon makes repairs not only necessary but frequent. When the original cost and the cost of keeping up repairs are considered it is figured that brick roads are the cheaper in the end.

—It is expected that a local option election will be held in Trumbull county early the coming year. The county has been dry for four years and the wets evidently think that is long enough as they are making the move to hold an election. Those who believe they are in position to know say that a majority of the people of the county are so well pleased with existing conditions that they will be satisfied to let well enough alone.

—A bulletin issued by the U. S. Geological Survey says no appliance, either mechanical or electrical, has yet been devised which will locate water beneath the surface. The bulletin says the witch-hazel forked branch has no merit whatever and if it does turn down in the hands of the operator it is due to an unconscious muscular action. The British Society for Psychological Research made a similar report some years ago. A great many people, however, have implicit faith in the witch-hazel twig.

—A special from Youngstown says: Youngstown and Mahoning county may have an election investigation by Attorney General Hogan along the same lines as is being conducted in Steubenville. Friends of Congressman J. J. Whitacre charge that the corrupt practices act was violated by the committee of the Congressman and as the latest development, Whitacre's friends are said to be contemplating appealing to Hogan for an investigation here. The fight against Whitacre was bitter in Mahoning county, and as a result he lost out here, while he won in the district against members of the Democratic party who opposed him.

—A Youngstown special says: "With the object of settling aside the conveyance of 175 acres of Meander Creek in Austintown township, valued at \$1,000 from Samuel Brunstetter, deceased, to Walter S. May, Henry Brunstetter, Emma A. Rush and Laura Maddox, brother and sisters of the dead man have brought suit in common pleas court in behalf of themselves and other heirs against Mr. May. It is alleged that on Sept. 2, when the deed was signed, Mr. Brunstetter was 70 years old, of feeble mind and body and that undue influence was brought to bear on him by Mr. May and his parents-in-law, David and Pannie Anderson, at whose home Mr. Brunstetter died."

—The boys who won in each Ohio county in the corn growing contest the past season are seeing the sights of Washington this week free of expense to them. Mahoning county is not represented although the Mahoning County Agricultural Society agreed to pay the expense of the boy in this county who grew the most corn on a single acre. Dewey Hanes of Darke county, aged 14, won first honors, growing 139.13 bushels on one acre. What this feat means can be understood when it is known that the average yield of corn in Ohio is 25 bushels to the acre. Harry J. Simon of Lorain county was second in the contest, his acre yielding 113.474 bushels. Master Hanes used an acre of ground that had been enriched by being planted for three years with alfalfa. In addition he used ten loads of manure and 800 pounds of fertilizer, besides selected seed.

## The ONLOOKER BY WILBUR D. NESBIT For A Birthday



Today I turn another page  
In life's long book of verse and prose;  
I find the one that tells of Age,  
Whereon the sunset softly glows—  
And now for me the easy slope  
Which reaches down the twilight hill  
Into the Night where minds now grope  
To find the Purpose and the Will.

Time turns his hour-glass once again,  
The sands in an unbroken stream  
Fall just as swiftly now as when  
Your sunshine held them with its gleam.  
Life has its seasons, as the year  
Turns softly on from day to day;  
Ere we may sense it, change is here;  
No hour with us may ever stay.

Henceforth for me the ripened husk,  
The garnered field, the drooping bough,  
The lullaby that fills the dusk  
And soothes us all to rest somehow.  
Life is at Noon—yet well I know  
I may not hold the hours alone.  
It may be that the way I go  
Leads to another, fairer dawn—

But should it end in dreamless sleep,  
Should I fade into nothingness,  
Still in my crumbling heart I'll keep  
The memories that cheer and bless.  
However be the fate that waits,  
However be the hour that ends,  
For all that comes, this compensates:  
The kindly deeds of you, my friends.

## NEWS ITEMS.

Cincinnati, O.—Mr. William Howard Taft has decided to return to Cincinnati from Washington early in March. While here last Tuesday he spent some time looking over the old residence, deciding what rooms will need repapering. The front porch is to be painted and several leaks in the roof remedied.

Lincoln, Neb.—Mr. W. J. Bryan, author of "Whither Are We Drifting?" and "Call Me Back Again," is putting in a good deal of time on his farm. His favorite old mule, Boom, has been turned out to grass, and Mr. Bryan says that in four years it ought to be in good condition once more.

Columbus, O.—After his long and refreshing rest during the campaign just closed, Mr. C. D. Hilles is considering taking up active work in some capacity once more.

## Darling Man.

"That's going to be a great contest out at the athletic field next Thursday," said the person who keeps track of sports.

"What will it be?" asked the other man.

"Mr. Snuffem, the famous automobilist, has been matched against the Harvard football eleven. He is to have his Yellow Pest machine, and they are to kick goal with him in ten minutes or lose the fight."

## Coming Revision.

The eminent author of textbooks for the young is in conference with the members of the board of education.

"Our arithmetic," he says, "must be radically changed."  
"For instance?" they ask.  
"Well, for instance, where it asks 'which is heavier, a ton of feathers or a ton of lead?' it must be made to read 'which is most expensive, a ton of coal or a ton of money?'"

## It Makes Them Wild.

"I wonder why they always call them the 'wild waves?'" says the thoughtful one.  
"I don't know," says the cynical one.

"What?"  
"So many fools happen along, and as soon as they see the waves, they ask: 'What are the wild waves saying?'"

## Needed Explanation.

"I observe, madam," said the new boarder, "that you have one of those pictures of a clock with the legend beneath: 'No Tick Here.'"

"Yes, sir," answered the grim landlady.

"Well," went on the new boarder, "does that refer to your beds or your business?"

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# NOW IS THE TIME!

When you must figure and stretch your dollars and cents in order to reach the limit for your Xmas shopping

## The Great Receiver's Sale

Offers you a chance to buy three dollars (\$3.00) worth of good clean merchandise (whether for a gift or yourself) for one dollar (\$1.00). Think it over, Mr. Reader, then come in and see for yourself and you will say that your dollar here will go farther than in any other store in Youngstown.

One lot of Men's Fine Overcoats in more than 60 different shades, very latest models worth up to \$20.00, sale price

**\$9.40**

About 325 Men's Overcoats in black and brown Kersey cloth, also fancy colors, nicely made, worth \$12.50 sale price

**\$3.95**

One lot of Men's Slip-ons in tans and grays in Serge and Panama cloths, latest styles, absolutely water proof, worth up to \$18.00, sale price

**\$4.85**

Men's genuine Priestly Cravanned Raincoats, each one guaranteed waterproof, plain or military collars, worth up to \$18.00, sale price

**\$7.45**

**LOOK FOR THE Blue & White Sign**

Men's extra heavy fleece lined underwear, worth 50c per garment, sale price

**28c**

Men's large size 10c Handkerchiefs, red, white and blue, sale price

**2½c**

Men's waterproof Umbrellas, worth \$1, sale price

**33c**

Men's Daisy Cloth Flannel Shirts, worth \$1.00, sale price

**39c**

Men's Dress Sox, worth 15c a pair, in black or tan, sale price

**5c**

Men's \$1 Dress Shirts, neat patterns, sale price

**39c**

Men's all wool Flannel Shirts, plain or military collars, sale price

**89c**

Men's all wool Pants, worth up to \$2.00, sale price

**98c**

Men's Mill Hose, all wool, worth 19c, sale price

**9c**

About 400 Fine Men's Suits, latest shades and models in worsteds and cassimeres, all wool, worth up to \$18.00, sale price

**\$8.95**

One lot of Men's Trousers, worth up to \$5.00 a pair, in neat stripes of worsteds, cassimeres and serges, sale price

**\$1.98**

Men's all wool Sweater Coats, worth \$2.00, all colors and full fashioned, sale price

**89c**

All \$2.50 and \$25.00 Overcoats, fashion's latest models and colors, finest hand work throughout, sale price

**\$12.95**

**CLIMAX OF VALUES**

Men's extra heavy Work Sox, gray or tan mixed, worth 10c sale price

**3c**

Men's all Silk Ties, beautiful shades, latest models of four-in-hands, worth \$1.00, sale price

**29c**

Men's \$1.00 Sweater Coats, blue, gray or brown, sale price

**39c**

25c Men's Police Suspenders, extra good webs, sale price

**11c**

50c Men's Fine Worsteds Cashmere Dress Hose, in black only, sale price

**17c**

Men's all wool Worsteds Sweater Coats, worth \$4.00, sale price

**\$1.89**

\$3.00 Men's Wool Jersey Sweaters, in blue and gray, sale price

**\$1.39**

Men's Holiday Suspenders in pretty boxes, worth up to \$1.00, sale price

**39c**

Men's extra heavy working gloves, worth \$1.00, sale price

**39c**

Men's guaranteed strictly all wool suits and perfectly tailored, 48 different shades, including blues and blacks, worth up to \$20.00, sale price

**\$9.40**

280 Men's Suits sold up to \$12.00 in worsteds and cassimeres, neat patterns and well made, sale price

**\$4.95**

Men's silk back English Corduroy Pants, full peg top and cuff bottoms, all colors, worth \$3.50, sale price

**\$1.89**

About 160 men's choice Suits, worth \$28.00 and \$30.00 each, finest of fabrics and special designs, sale price

**\$12.40**

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# Receiver's Sale!

## KLIVAN'S CLOTHING COMPANY

321 West Federal St., Bet. Pennsylvania Depot and Chestnut St.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.

## FOR FRUIT OR SPICE CAKE

Young Housewife May Be Interested in This Connection, Which is Really Delicious.

Materials—Brown sugar, 1c; molasses, ¼c; pastry flour, 3½c; sour cream, 1c; seeded raisins, 1 lb.; melted butter, 1 t.; allspice, 1 tsp.; cinnamon, 1 tsp.; cloves, ¼ tsp.; baking powder, 1 tsp.  
Cup, t. teaspoon; tsp., table-spoon. All measurements level. Flour sifted before measuring.

Utensils—Paper bag, wire cake cooler, mixing bowl, slotted wooden spoon, measuring cup, teaspoon, table-spoon, cake pan, chopping bowl, egg beater and flour sifter.

Chop the raisins or cut them into small pieces. Beat the cream until very light, then add the sugar and beat very well again. Put all the dry ingredients together into the sifter; (using a little of the flour to mix with the raisins). Add the molasses and butter melted, and beat well. Mix the raisins well through the dough. Line the cake pan with greased paper, turn in the dough, set into a paper bag which is already on the wire mat and bake in a slow oven one hour. Or a small loaf may be made in the top, and the cake tried with a toothpick or clean straw. Remove from the oven, tear the paper off the top and allow the cake to cool on the cake cooler.

Fruits—Oranges, grape fruit, grapes, apples, lemons.

Vegetables—White and sweet potatoes, Hubbard squash, turnips, white and yellow carrots, white and red cabbage, parsnips, onions, lettuce, oyster plant.

Extras—Tomatoes, fancy melons, Brussels sprouts, string beans, radishes, wax beans, egg plant.

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## Good Hints.

Have you a wire frying basket? Put your tomatoes in it the next time they are to be skinned and plunged into a deep kettle of boiling water. There is no danger by this method of getting them water-soaked.

Keep milk, butter and eggs all closely covered, on one side of the refrigerator, and reserve the other for vegetables, leftovers from the table and other odoriferous provisions.

Don't throw away the paraffin from jelly and marmalade. Wash each piece and save it. Boil the accumulation and there will be clean paraffin for next jelly time.

## Squash Pie Filling.

One cup of stewed squash, one-half cup sugar, two eggs and milk enough to fill a pie plate. First line a pie plate with crust, then beat eggs and sugar together, adding squash and milk, seasoning with cinnamon, nutmeg and allspice to suit the taste. Bake about 40 minutes in a moderate oven.

## Fried Sweetbreads.

Soak sweetbreads in lukewarm water two hours, then pour hot water over, soak 15 minutes and skin them; roll in flour, fry in butter very slowly at the same time with two sliced onions. Take on, strain gravy, add one-quarter cup sherry and a little bouillon. This for two pair sweetbreads.

## Mr. Meskton's Mean Idea.

"Why did you insist on having your wife join the Suffragette Club?" "Because," replied Mr. Meskton grimly, "I want to see that Suffragette Club get all the trouble that's coming to it."

Advertise in The Dispatch.



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**JACOB NEWMAN,**  
26 N. Phelps St.,  
YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO

LEGAL NOTICE.  
State of Ohio, Mahoning County, ss.  
In the Court of Common Pleas.  
Louisa Weisenbach vs. Jacob Weisenbach.

Jacob Weisenbach, whose residence is unknown, is hereby notified that Louisa Weisenbach has filed her petition against him for divorce, and custody of children, in Case No. of the Court of Common Pleas of Mahoning County, Ohio, alleging as ground therefor wilful absence and non-support, and that said cause will be for hearing on or after January 4th, 1913.

LOUISA WEISENBACH.  
By C. W. Johnson, her Atty. 35-6

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